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and generally played out, when I commenced to use Dr. David Kennedy's Favorite Remedy," writes S. I. Young, of Hiram, Ohio. "For years I have suffered with inflammation and constant pain in the back and kidneys, and have gradually grown worse and expected at any time that nature's effort would cease. But I have had rheumatic pain in every muscle and joint, and have suffered in bed, but I must say I have not in five years as well as I do now. Have improved daily since I began the use of

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For the next 30 days, I shall sell all grades at fifty off list price. Set of Buggy Wheels, \$5.00 Set of Buggy Wheels, tired and handled \$7.25, regular price \$9.00 I also have better grades of wheels I will sell at same proportion.

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ALBANY.
Mrs. Alton Fernald called on Mrs. A. E. K. Grover, Saturday.
Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Grover attended the funeral of Henry Brown at Bethel, Friday.
Lottie Lord was at Grover Corner on Monday and called on Mrs. G. E. Grover.

The news that Clifford Eastman is improving is very pleasing to his many friends.

The death of Melville Rand was a great shock to his many friends and relatives in this vicinity.

George H. Menley of Hyde Park, Mass., called on Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Lord one day of late.

Joshua Young is keeping bachelor's hall in Tom Poole's house which he purchased of C. C. Bryant.

Ubas, McAllister, wife and children were at Paris, Monday, to attend the funeral of their nephew Melville Rand.

Mrs. Carrie Fiske of Norway, who has been visiting her niece, Mrs. Myra Lord for the past few weeks, has returned home.

Mrs. F. H. Emery and family and family are being visited by her sister, Mrs. Kelley and two children of Staceyville. The sisters had not met for over twenty years.

Fernald's Mills.
F. H. Grover went to Norway, Tuesday of last week.

Mrs. Etta Saunders has been very ill, but is gaining.

Many Sudden Deaths From Poisonous Rheumatism

The Disease Has Its Dangers—Should Be Taken in Time.

Rheumatism has long been regarded as a trouble which, while it might be painful, was not necessarily dangerous. Very few persons it was thought, ever died from Rheumatism. Recent investigation among scientists has proved, however, the utter fallacy of such a belief. Three-fourths to seven-eighths of the sudden deaths from heart failure, etc., are due primarily to neglected rheumatism. The rheumatic Acid Poison is allowed to stay in the system until suddenly one day it grips the muscles of the heart and all is over.

Rheumatism is curable if the proper treatment is used. Liniments, plasters and all local applications may relieve the pain for a short time, but no one ever heard of their permanently curing a case of rheumatism. The only way to cure Rheumatism is the Uric-O way. Neutralize the Rheumatic acid and drive it away from the system. That is what Uric-O does. No matter what is the kind or character of the Rheumatism, it is all caused by the same Rheumatic Poison. Lumbago, Muscular or Articular Rheumatism, yields at once to Uric-O. Nerves Drag Down is the home of Uric-O in Norway they tell you all about its wonderful virtues and the many cures it has made. Write here in your own town. It sells for 75c and \$1.00 a bottle. If you wish to test Uric-O before purchasing, a letter to the Smith Drug Co., Syracuse, N. Y., will bring you a trial bottle free of all charges.

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Are we? That is the reputation we bear among other nations. Years ago I spent some time in Canada (not for my country's good, however) and I learned while there that the natives wanted cash when dealing with Americans, and that as a general thing my compatriots were regarded with distrust and suspicion. I was indignant at the time, and thought it very unjust to judge us all by the fugitives from justice who had fled there from "the States."

But now, I think that our law-breakers have very little to do with giving us our dirty name. And really they are not our worst citizens when all is told. At least, not the humble specimens who are unimportant enough to fall into the clutches of the law. The thieves and dishonest methods employed almost universally wherever business is transacted, by our leading and honored citizens, there is the "canker" of the body that is destroying our good name.

Is a trader honest when you have to watch his scales to see that you get correct weight? Is it a common occurrence, is it a man honest, who will give a wrong impression in a trade to gain a few cents more than he could get if he told the plain unvarnished truth? They nearly all do it. Wherein lies the difference (twixt robbing our neighbor by hand or by trade? And where does his benefit come in?

Take our corn factories for instance. Ask the gentle farmers how much is stolen from them when their corn is weighed and measured. Behold our butter creameries! Again ask the guileless farmer what percentage of his cream and eggs he gets his pay for; how much he gets docked on eggs each month, and how much his cream shrinks between the time it leaves him and the time he gets the returns.

One would think the Grangers might control matters like that, but they are too busy, seemingly, learning the best method of preserving artichokes and whether black apples ship best packed in sawdust or sour milk, and experimenting as to which is more destructive to crops, the brown tail moth or the Brown Leghorn hen. So they continue to be filched and complain thereof.

Take the milkmen, ice companies and gas trusts of all our large cities. They are not only organized thieves (so pronounced) but are murderers also, and the lives of thousands of the wretched poor are annually sacrificed to satisfy their cruel greed, little children dying for the want of life giving milk and cooling ice daily every summer. For every price has been raised above the reach of the wretched parents. It would have been more humane (and profitable) if the companies had sent their agents around with sponge and chloroform to expediate the demise of the unfortunate infants in an up-to-date business-like manner.

Why ice should be more expensive than it used to be is hard to understand, unless the mercury used in our thermometers has been so adulterated that it costs more to run them down to "frozen," and thus complicates the intricate process of manufacturing ice during our long New England winters. But even so there ought to be some good reason for so much stealing in the weight. There ought to be some mighty good reason why the gas men are allowed to adulterate their gas and thus kill scores of their patrons and nothing done about it. And as to the meat packers, that's another story—a serial. And nothing doing. No excitement. Nobody punished. All as lovely as "a day in June." We are accustomed to it. Are we a nation of thieves?

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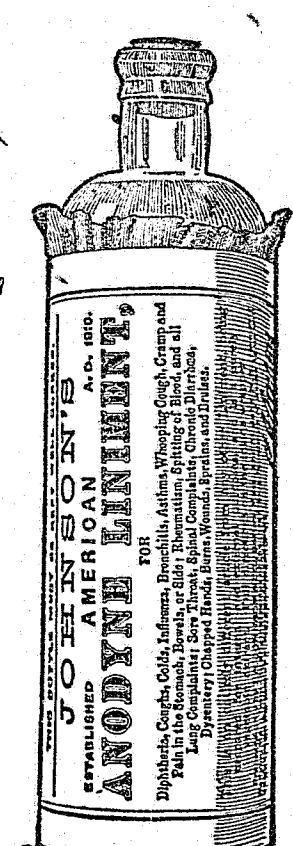
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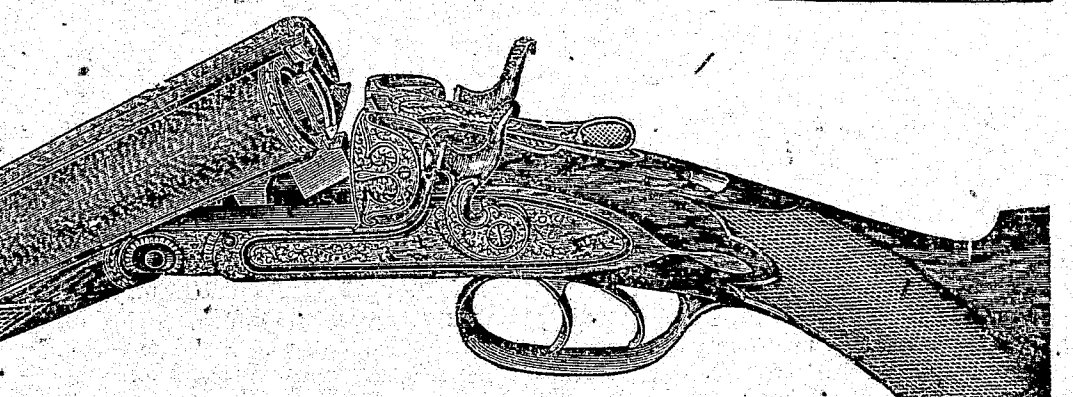
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NORWAY AND VICINITY.

Sudden Death.
A. M. Whitley of New York City, who came to visit his cousin, Mrs. Chas. E. Evers two weeks ago Saturday, died very suddenly at Evers' residence Friday night, Sept. 7.

He had been at the White Mountains the past two months for his health as he was suffering from consumption but thought that he was getting better and was on his return home.

Mr. Whitley was an employee of the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad and was 49 years old. His brother, C. A. Whitley, came to Norway and took the remains to New York on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Gould of Mechanic Falls spent a week recently at Lake Pennessewassee; also Charles Carter of the same village visited here.

Dr. and Mrs. Lester Horne, son Howard Wallace, and Mrs. Charles Spooner of Long Plain, Mass., have been visiting the doctor's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Horne, and Mrs. Horne's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Smith. They returned Monday. Mrs. Spooner was never in Maine before and as she lives in that part of Massachusetts where the hills are as flat as pancakes, she thought the Old Oxford hills' scenery grand.

Letter to Freehold Howe.

Norway, Maine.
Dear Sir: Our agent ought to sell nine-tenths of the paint of his town and region; no use to try for the other tenth. The proportion of men who won't take good advice, and use the least-gallons paint, is about one in ten among even owners of houses and stores and shops and barns and fences.

One man in ten will buy a gold brick or green goods, if he has the money and gets a good chance.

Devoe at \$1.75 a gallon is better than gold; adulterated and short-measure paints are green goods and gold bricks. Devoe saves you more or less, of the labor and wages of painting. It is all paint; full strength and full measure. There is no other such paint within ten percent. Ten per cent. of labor and paint is worth saving; and ten is the least. There are scores of paints that throw away half of both gallons and labor on whitening, china-glaze, ground stone, barytes, benzine, water—all they are good for is to make gallons of nothing and look like paint in the can; more gallons to buy and more gallons to pay for putting on—gold bricks and green goods. Here's how they work.

Judge L. D. Fairchild owns two houses exactly alike in Lufkin, Texas. J. H. Torrence painted both houses; one Devoe, 15 1/2 gallons; the other with another paint sold at same price; 25 gallons. That 25 gallon paint is weak and 15 per cent. whitening; that's why it took 10 1/2 gallons more.

Yours truly,
F. W. Devoe & Co.,
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Fatality Among Dogs and Cats.

Three dogs which have lived on or near Paris street have died under suspicious circumstances, also three cats.
This has occurred in the past six months. Charles W. Chick on Paris street has lost two cats and a Shepherd dog he prized highly. George E. Tubbs' brown Spaniel recently died and Chas. B. Hamilton also had a dog die. J. N. Faver lost an Angora cat. All of these have showed marked symptoms of arsenic poison. How and by whom administered is unknown.
W. E. Perkins, the teamster on Beal street, had a sick dog showing similar symptoms of the other dogs but he managed to save it.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Frost have moved from Brookline to Roxbury, Mass.

A good play presented by a good company to a good sized house, was the verdict of those who attended "Under the Southern Skies" at the opera house on Thursday evening. This play, which was by the same author, such as "Way Down East," always receive liberal patronage when produced by such a company of artists as this company has.

Hon. A. S. Kimball is in Boston this present week attending the Superior Council of the Northern Masonic and Scottish Rite, F. & A. M. This is an organization made up of members from all the northern and eastern states, meeting in Boston semi-annually in odd years and in different cities as Council may vote on even years.

Advertised Letters, Norway.

Louise Bowten, Emma Haskell, Mrs. Hattie Goodwin, C. M. J. care M. M., H. L. Leighton, Athanas Dinsault, F. E. McAlister, Frederick R. McKenzie, James Martin, E. H. McAlister, John C. Conley, L. R. Russell, C. W. Skillings.

SOUTH PARIS.

Suggested Closing "New Hall."
For some years past the hall in the Old Fellows' block has not paid enough to satisfy the owners and it is now being talked that the hall will be finished off into offices and rented. Should this be done the village will be without any public hall of sufficient size to nearly accommodate the wants of the town.

We trust it will not be, but it's asking perhaps, too much of the owners to furnish a hall for the public at too great an expense to their pockets, and the matter of making the change is being seriously talked of.

A. E. Forbes, editor of the Democrat, took a three days' vacation last week. On Tuesday he went to Gorham, N. H. by train and from there travelled to the White Mountain range and returned home Thursday evening.

FRYEBURG.

Haley Neighborhood.
Fred Haley, while coming from his work at the village, saw a bear in the road near the woods. He said the bear would weigh about 400 pounds.

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Several from this neighborhood are working in the corn shop.

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Maud Haley, the little daughter of Wallace Haley, has been ill.

The Great State Bonfire of 1826.

A writer in the Boston Transcript, telling about the Maine woods, relates the story of one of the worst forest fires that Maine ever saw and which was set, years ago, by the hand of authority, paradoxically in an attempt to save the timber. It is known in folklore as "Great State Bonfire of 1826."

At that time all the forests were owned by the State and the valuable timber region up around Seboeis was the favorite resort of timber thieves who went in in the spring, cut and stacked vast quantities of hay from the meadows and used it to feed their oxen during the winter while they helped themselves to the splendid timber. The State authorities sought to stop this thievery and sent Jim Chase, a timber looker and a man supposed to be wise in woodcraft, one dry August, to burn this hay and thus block the timber pirates. Jim reached the meadows in safety, made a match to the stacks and set down smoke and mused on how easily he had outwitted the thieves and saved the timber. The stacks burned splendidly and so did the neighboring forests, which were lighted for miles around, by flying embers. The wind increased and it was but a brief half hour before the fire had taken hold and was fleeing wildly with the frantic denizens of the woods in a desperate attempt to save their lives. The flames leaped higher and higher.

Now with blistered face and shriveled boots he plunged through scorching embers and choking smoke, again gained a stretch of forest yet untouched, but always fleeing toward the one point of safety, a bare slate peak half a dozen miles to the south. Strange was the companionship of that wild journey. Bear, deer, moose, everything that could run on fly or crawl fled before him, driven by the tremendous blaze that Jim Chase had kindled in the name of the State of Maine. At last, bleeding, blistered, blazing, he sank exhausted on the great rock pinnacle which goes to this day by the name of Chimney Rock. For two weeks Jim dwelt on this bare hill, living as best he might while the woods burned in an ever widening circle of fire all about him. On the 15th night a heavy rain fell and he was able to traverse the burned and blackened hills and valleys back to Bangor.

"Did you burn the hay?" asked the State agent. "Hay," said Jim, "Gosh a mighty!" burned the hay and the woods, and the ground and every living critter in 'em and if Mooshead lake ain't afire now it ain't my fault."

It was found afterwards that Jim's official fire had burned over five townships and parts of six others, a total of nearly 200 square miles covered with the finest timber that ever grew. If the timber pirates of Seboeis had been allowed to cut steadily from that day to this they could not have done half the damage that had come from this vigorous but ill-advised attempt to drive them out. That was Maine's last State bonfire.—[Maine Woods.]

Change in postal route.—Oxford to Railroad Station in 9 a. m. and 2:30 p. m. Arrive at Railroad Station by 9:50 a. m. and 4:10 p. m. Leave Railroad Station daily except Sunday at 9:55 a. m. and 4:15 p. m. Arrive at Oxford at 10:45 a. m. and 4:06 p. m.

Alonzo Freeman Lewis.

Alonzo Freeman Lewis of Fryeburg, who was injured by falling from a ladder while engaged in efforts to save his property from destruction by fire, during the disastrous conflagration, which occurred there on the 31st ult., and who died at Maine General Hospital, Portland, at 3:30 a. m. the following day, was one of Fryeburg's best-known and most respected citizens, and his death will bring sorrow to a wide circle of friends and acquaintances.

He was born in East Conway, N. H., on June 23, 1834, being the son of Jacob and Abigail (Coolbroth) Lewis. He was educated in the public schools of his native town and in Fryeburg Academy, fitting for college at the latter institution, and in 1855 successfully taking the examinations for admission to both Dartmouth and Bowdoin colleges. A weakness of the eyes, brought on by the excessive use of them in his studies, obliged him, much to his sorrow, to forego the pursuit of his scholastic education beyond the course preparatory to his matriculation for college, but his love of learning was so strong and so enduring that it was with almost literal exactness he said that he was a student all his life. Fond of books, and selecting, for his reading, those books which were the work of the best standard writers, he kept abreast of the times in all that concerned the world's intellectual activities.

While he was well versed in general literature, he was especially interested in local history, devoting much time and labor to the study of the history of Fryeburg and its families, and none feeling a deeper pride in the town and its people than he. In early life he learned the tailoring business at Warner, N. H., and at that place and at Concord in the same State, he for a time pursued this business as his vocation. His desire for an education, however, soon caused him to discontinue this business and, as a student, to enter the academy at Fryeburg, and it for some time after he was, as just stated, obliged to forego his purpose to acquire a collegiate education, he resumed the tailoring business at Fryeburg, but not long afterwards gave up this business and went into partnership with Franklin Shirley in the business of dealing in general merchandise, the name of the firm being Shirley & Lewis. At the end of a few years this firm of Shirley & Lewis discontinued business, and Mr. Lewis then went into the fire insurance business, which continued to be his vocation till the end of his life.

In whatever business Mr. Lewis was engaged, he always managed to find time at the same time to devote to the gratification of his literary tastes and his social life. Not only did he feel a deep interest in the history of his adopted town of Fryeburg, but he also felt a great interest in the history of his native town of Conway, and of the towns which, together with Fryeburg and Conway, in days long ago, constituted the Indian sachemdom of Pequawket, much time and labor being devoted by him to gathering information regarding the old-time annals and the early inhabitants of all these towns.

Mr. Lewis was fond of travel, not only for the fleeting pleasure of gratifying love of novelty which seems to be characteristic of the human family in general, but for the educational effect which travel has upon the mind of a sensitive and intelligent traveler; and, notwithstanding the demands of his business, he contrived to find time for journeys to various parts of the world, remote from his beloved Fryeburg. In 1864 he was a member of a party of excursionists, who made a pleasure trip to Europe, and in 1889 and account of this excursion was published in the form of a book of 600 pages entitled "A Summer Jaunt through the Old World: a Record of an Excursion Made to and through Europe by the Tourist Educational Party of 1878."

Mr. Lewis belonged to the First (or "Italian") Division of this party of excursionists, and of the book just mentioned, chapters 10, 11, 12 and 13, which describe the journey of this division of the party, were written by him.

In 1883 Mr. Lewis and his brother, Calvin W. Lewis of Boston, published the covered which he had written, and which was published by them the Webster Memorial, a pamphlet which, besides Webster's 4th of July oration just mentioned, contains considerable interesting matter regarding Webster and Fryeburg.

In the course of a trip made by Mr. Lewis to California, he visited many places of special interest, and the information which he gathered on his trip to Europe and his trip to the Pacific Slope was embodied in two interesting and instructive lectures upon Rome, London, Salt Lake City and the Mormons, the Yosemite Valley, etc., which he delivered in many places.

On the 10th anniversary of the death of Daniel Webster at Fryeburg, Mr. Lewis was delivered by Mr. Lewis at a celebration at Fryeburg on the 10th anniversary of the going of Webster to that town in 1802, to take charge of the academy there, a pamphlet of this celebration being published by Mr. Lewis in 1902. In New Church Hall, Fryeburg, on the evening of Aug. 9, 1904, 14 residents of Fryeburg and its vicinity, who were born in 1834, held a day of commemoration of the 70th anniversary of their birth. The proceedings of this celebration, which was initiated by Mr. Lewis, and practically all the labor of making the arrangements for which Mr. Lewis took upon himself, were embodied in a pamphlet of 146 pages, which was published by him in 1904.

Of late years Mr. Lewis spent his winters in Florida, Cuba or the city of Washington, in the latter place he delivered addresses before the Society of the Sons and Daughters of Maine, and before the Society of Sons and Daughters of New Hampshire. He spent much time in tracing the genealogy of his family on both the paternal and the maternal side, and after his injury at the fire and while the conflagration was still raging and it was uncertain whether his property would be saved, he expressed himself as being this collection of genealogical data as being desirable among his effects and as being desirable that it should be rescued from destruction in preference to anything else.

At a public meeting of the people of Fryeburg, he presented an eulogy upon the late President McKinley, and delivered an address at the dedication of the Woman's Library Club of Fryeburg. He was prominent in the Chautauque course reading circle of Fryeburg, and contributed a little to the success of the circle. He was a member of the Maine Historical Society, and was an honorary member of the Webster Historical Society of Boston and of the Columbia Institute of Tennessee. He

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was the Boston Globe's Fryeburg correspondent, the Fryeburg agent of the associated Press, and the local trial justice. He ever took a deep interest in the cause of education in general and a special interest in the prosperity of Fryeburg Academy in particular, and at the time of his death and for many years previous thereto he was one of the trustees of the academy. At the same time time serving as its agent and secretary of the board of trustees.

At all social gatherings he was a welcome guest, being a good conversationalist and being well fitted to contribute to the amusement of the company by his ready and interesting anecdotes and reminiscence to the enjoyment of such occasions. He was a good singer and music was one of his delights. It was through his initiative that in 1872 a Peace Jubilee held that year in Boston.

As he advanced in years, he never seemed to lose any of the buoyancy and vivacity of his mind, and his physical vigor and agility he seemed to retain in an equal degree. He was a skillful skier, and to the end of his days indulged his fondness for the game, whenever possible. In his earlier years he was an active baseball player, and his interest in that form of sport he retained as long as he lived, embracing every favorable opportunity to witness a good game on the diamond, whether professional or non-professional.

He was a Republican in politics, but was of broad views as to ones civic duties, never allowing his partisanship in political sentiments to effect his social relations with those from whose views he dissented. He always felt an interest in public affairs, and, though he never sought office and never aspired to prominence, in 1884 he was chosen as an alternate delegate to the National Republican Convention which nominated James G. Blaine for president.

For many years he was a member of the Congregational church, but when, some 30 years ago, the New Church Society was organized at Fryeburg, he joined the latter society, and continued one of its devoted members to the end of his life.

The funeral, which was largely attended, was held at the New Church, Fryeburg, at 2 o'clock Tuesday afternoon, September 4, Rev. Baman N. Stone, the pastor of the church, officiating. The interment was in the family lot in the cemetery at West Fryeburg. Mr. Lewis never married, and his nearest surviving relative is his above-mentioned brother, Calvin W. Lewis.

The Only Survivor

of the Hayes Arctic Expedition, Mr. S. J. McCormick, now U. S. Deputy Minister, Bliss Station, Idaho, says: "For years I have suffered from the tip joint and back bone, depriving me of all power in the kidneys. After using Dr. Kennedy's Favorite Remedy, of Rondout, N. Y., I was completely cured."

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RESOLUTIONS OF RESPECT

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Resolved, that we extend our heartfelt sympathy to the bereaved family of our departed sister and commend them to the mercies of an ever present help in time of trouble.

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